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A PERSON'S HAIR  
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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND  
RESPONSIVE AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants respectfully request a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for responding to the Office Action mailed on September 8, 2005, in the above-captioned patent application. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the time for response be extended up to and including January 9, 2006. A check in the amount of \$60.00 is attached to cover the one-month extension of time fee for a small entity. In the event of any variance between the amount enclosed and the fees determined by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, please charge or credit any such variance to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

### **AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Office Action mailed September 8, 2005 the period for response to which having been extended up to and including January 9, 2006 please amend the above-captioned application as set forth below.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.